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Sir :

In response to the Official Action of February 13, 2004, in which a three-month shortened statutory period for response was set to expire on May 13, 2004, and which has been extended by the enclosed Two-Month Extension of Time, to expire on July 13, 2004, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections, as well as an indication of the allowability of all the claims pending in the present application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 43 of this paper.